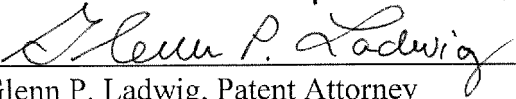


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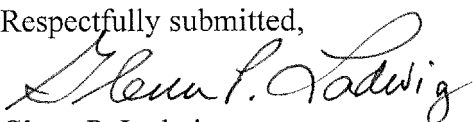
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Sir:

In response to the written restriction requirement dated August 24, 2007, the applicants hereby elect with traverse to prosecute the Group I claims, *e.g.*, claims 46 and 65, drawn to a composition of matter comprising an isolated polypeptide that does not comprise the amino acid sequence recited in SEQ ID NO:10, wherein said isolated polypeptide is an amino acid sequence comprising that recited in SEQ ID NO:2.

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